

FAMILY REUNION HELD
AT RISING FAWN, GA.Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Bible En-
tertain Children at Old
Homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Bible, living near Rising Fawn, Ga., had a family reunion Sunday, having all of their children with them for the first time for several years. During the day several group pictures were taken of the parents and children, at the old homestead, and at noon a good old-fashioned dinner, as far as loyalty to food conservation and war regulations would permit, was spread, and gathered around the table in one happy family reunion were: Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Bible, occupying the places of the heads of the family; Charles Bible, of Rising Fawn; Miss Minnie Bible, who is in training at Erlanger hospital; Mrs. W. J. Campbell, Chattanooga, and John Bible, who has been with the marines for a few months, who was at home on a seven days' furlough; Mrs. B. K. Wheeler, of Rome, Ga., and Misses Mamie and Liz-bie Bible, who are at home on their vacation from the Berry school.

The day was spent as only those bound by family ties can spend it, and the curtain of evening dropped all too soon upon the happy scene of home-life.

TWO PATROLS OF GIRL
SCOUTS ORGANIZED

Under the auspices of the war council of the Young Women's Christian association two patrols of Girl Scouts have been formed. The secretary of the association is Miss W. C. A. branch, Miss Agnes Amis, is captain of both patrols. Miss Vivian Browne is lieutenant of patrol I, and Miss Edith Isabelle Patten lieutenant of patrol II. Members of patrol I, who have passed the test and have been enrolled in the national organization, had a regular scout supper Saturday afternoon at Ellis springs, where a supper was cooked over a camp fire. Those in the party were: Lillian Swan, Jewel H. Helms, Clara Mae Wood, Willie Ann Nelms, Lillian Swan, Georgia Kayser, Gertrude Zelma, Frances French, Mirvona Swan, and Brena Mowery. Patrol II will have supper at the club-house Tuesday, after which they will go on a short trip.

Many of the girls are trying to win the special war service badge, besides qualifying for second-class scouts. A uniform of blue will be worn with the regulation scout hats. Blue suits are substituted for the khaki, on account of the demand for that material.

ANNUAL PICNIC OF 1915 CLASS
OF TYNER HIGH BIG SUCCESS

One-Fourth of Stars on Tyner Service Flag Represent Boys From This Class.

Grayville Springs, Ga., was the place selected by the 1915 class of the Tyner High school for their fourth annual picnic, Saturday, July 6, and a merry party went forth for an all day outing.

Although the class roll contained many absent marks, its loyalty and spirit was manifested by the brief talks and pledges made by those present. The 1915 class is one of the largest ever graduated from any one of Hamilton county's rural schools, and it was learned that one-fourth of the stars on the service flag at Tyner represented boys from this class. Almost every branch of the service has been entered by a member of the 1915 class. A picnic dinner and supper were served under the shadow of the trees near the spring. Members of the class going were: Misses Elma Gill, Maude Gray, Blondie Hancock, Hallie Friar, Dona Davidson, and Messrs. Lewis Walters and Hartwell.

The invited guests were Miss Emma Friar, Will Walters and Lawrence Reid.

Wives of army officers, who as representatives of Fort Oglethorpe Red Cross auxiliary, served ice cream and cold drinks from four booths at the field day meet July Fourth, report a neat sum realized.

The booths were located upon the parade ground and the sales from the four booths netted \$250.

GUNNE-SCHMIDT RAUTER

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED
Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Schmidtrauter, of Highland Park, announce the wedding of their youngest daughter, Alma Mae, to Paul W. Gunne. The ceremony was solemnized by Rev. J. W. Bachman Saturday afternoon. The attendants were the bride's sister, Anna Marie Schmidtrauter, and J. Webb. The groom is a popular employee of the Chattanooga Power company but recently accepted a position with the government in Charleston.

CANNED TOMATOES

No. 1 1/2 size cans10c
No. 2 size cans13c
No. 2 1/2 size cans15c

SNOWDRIFT

Small size45c
Medium size\$1.20
Large size\$2.45
Hirsch's Pickles, per doz.15c
Corn Flakes, package10c

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820 GEORGIA AVE.

Simplest Frock for Paris Fete



(Newspaper Enterprise Association.)
Paris—Whenever a fancy gown appears out-of-door it is apt to be of georgette trimmed with a little soutache, like this one snapped in the Avenue de l'Opera. Odd little aprons offer designers an excellent chance to display soutache designs to the best advantage. Such simple frocks are worn at the family fete given in honor of soldiers on leave. These family affairs mark the limit of wartime entertainment.

leton, S. C. Mr. and Mrs. Gunne will be at home in Charleston Aug. 1.

M'CUULLOUGH-CARSON
NUPTIALS SOLEMNIZED

The wedding of Miss Thelma Lucille Carson and John Lawrence McCullough was solemnized yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents at Fort Wood. Dr. Claude E. Hill was the officiating minister. The nuptial music was rendered by Miss Eleanor Potts, who sang "At Dawning," accompanied by Mrs. O. E. Fancett at the piano. There were no vendors.

The home was attractively decorated for the occasion. American Beauty roses being used throughout the living room, library and hall. The bride was attired in pearl and ivory georgette with beaded bodice and skirt, worn with a large white hat, trimmed in oriental sweet peas. She carried a bouquet of white peonies and white roses.

After the wedding an informal reception was held. Only immediate family and a few close friends witnessed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. McCullough left for a trip to points in Alabama. Her traveling suit was of gray jersey, worn with navy blue tailored hat, with accessories to match.

Mr. and Mrs. McCullough are well known in Chattanooga, having a wide circle of friends here.

After July 14 they will be at home in the Marguerite apartments.

ANDERSON-DALY

ENGAGEMENT NOTED

Mrs. Louise Daly announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her sister, Miss Agnes Daly, to Edmund Husse Anderson, of New York.

The date of the wedding will be announced later.

CHAPMAN-COULTER

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

The marriage of Miss Sandra Coulter and J. Q. Chapman was solemnized Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the study of Rev. E. E. Wiley, of Centenary church.

Mrs. Chapman took her bride on a wedding trip east immediately after the ceremony, and upon their return they will reside at 412 Bailey avenue.

REVIVAL SERVICES AT

EAST LAKE THIS WEEK

Dr. Brooks Will Give Illustrated
Lecture on the Passion
Play Tonight.

Dr. Crayton S. Brooks, of Portsmouth, O., who attracted large audiences last week as a lecturer, both at the First Christian church, in the city, and the Highland Park Christian church, is this week conducting a revival at the East Lake Christian church. He will give an illustrated lecture tonight on the "Passion Play of Oberammergau." Miss Helen Lemmons will sing "The Holy City" and the "Ninety and Nine" will be included in the musical part of the program. The revival will last all of this week and through Sunday.

A meeting of the Winters class of the

First Baptist church will be held Friday afternoon with Mrs. L. W. Sowers at 1024 East Tenth street.

CHATTANOOGA VISITORS

IN MIAMI, FLORIDA

Mrs. Charles G. Fowler and little daughter, and Mrs. C. W. K. Meacham and two sons are in Miami, Fla., on a visit to Mrs. S. C. Ellis, of Fort Dallas park, and the family of J. S. Fowler, of Little River.

The Metropolis says of them: "Mrs. Fowler is a popular soprano singer of Chattanooga, having been

Only two best

kinds of corn

—says Bobby

Green

corn

on the

cob and—

POST TOASTIES

SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY.

Meeting of Lookout Mountain Red Cross circle at Lookout Mountain clubhouse.
Meeting of Pilgrim guild.
Meeting of Woman's Missionary society of Central Baptist church.
Circle No. 5 of First Baptist church meets with Mrs. M. D. Smith.
Meeting of Glen Martin circle with Mrs. F. B. Macdon.
Highland Park Red Cross to meet at Orchard Knob.

TUESDAY.

Centenary Ladies' Aid to sew for orphans at home of Mrs. Kate Wiehl.
Matthew circle to meet with Mrs. Joe Quinn.
Meeting of National League for Woman's Service.
Ocece Woman's Missionary institute meets in Cleveland.
Meeting of League for Patriotic Service.
Meeting of Wesley class of Centenary church.
Highland Park section of King's Daughters of First Christian church meets with Mrs. Andrew Smith.

WEDNESDAY.

Meeting of Lookout Mountain Red Cross auxiliary with Mrs. Newell Sanders.
Midweek dance at Signal Mountain Inn.
Regular meeting of Council of Defense.

THURSDAY.

Meeting of Frances Willard board.
Meeting of Evangeline chapter No. 48, O. E. S., at Mountain City hall.

FRIDAY.

Meeting of Red Cross circle of Lookout Mountain at clubhouse.
Meeting of St. Elmo Red Cross and Knitting circle.
Meeting of Winters class of First Baptist church with Mrs. L. W. Somers.

SATURDAY.

Meeting of Sunday School Graded union.
Entertainment at soldiers' rest room.
Dinner-dance at Hotel Patten.
Dinner-dance at Golf and Country club.
Dinner-dance at Signal Mountain Inn.
Cafeteria supper at First M. E. church.
Entertainment for soldiers at First Baptist church.
Entertainment for soldiers at Centenary church.

SUNDAY.

Community singing at court-house.
Concerts in Y. W. C. A. buildings at army post.

COUNCIL OF DEFENSE

SECURES HEADQUARTERS

Office to Be Room of Volunteer

State Life Insurance

Building.

Identified with choir work and music clubs. Mrs. Meacham is also proficient as a musician and active in club work in the Mountain city. This is their first visit to Miami, and they have fallen completely in love with the city at first sight.

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Mrs. C. C. Nottingham, chairman of the council for headquarters for the local women's committee, National Council of Defense, has selected a room in the new Volunteer State Life Insurance building, the location having been given by courtesy of Z. C. Patten and the insurance company. Mrs. C. E. Buck will be in charge of the room, which will serve as a clearinghouse for all war activity of Chattanooga and district.

The council having been engaged in the work of collecting the various lines of patriotic activity and being the only officially recognized channel through which credit from the government is accorded to the work of localities, the possession of headquarters for the organization has been a long-felt need. An information desk will be installed, bulletins displayed and desk space provided for various organizations whose achievements enter into the reports.

OFFICERS HONOR YOUNG

LADIES AT SUPPER DANCE

A supper-dance was given Friday night by the officers of the supply post in their clubroom on Signal Hill. The rooms were decorated with flags. Punch was served throughout the evening and supper served at 12. The special guests were some of the officers of the engineers' corps and the Eleventh cavalry.

The hosts were the officers of the supply depot.

The chamberlains were Mrs. F. C. McCleary and Mrs. Eulalie L. Riggs. The girls invited were Misses Mary Elizabeth Swaney, Emma Sue Smartt, Kathleen Gager, Lucile Boyl, Jo-Jo, Virginia Moore, of Cincinnati; Miss Carney, of Norfolk, Va.

The Highland Park section of King's Daughters of First Christian church will hold a meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Andrew Smith on Duncan avenue.

MRS. CLIFF'S COMMITTEE

FORMED FOR WELFARE WORK

Mrs. Joe Cliff, who will conduct the child welfare campaign to be launched by the local women's committee, Council of Defense will have associated with her in the work Miss Ernestine Now, Mrs. E. F. Wheland, Mrs. M. M. Allison, Mrs. J. W. Johnson, Mrs. Lucius Mansfield and others. The campaign will be conducted with a view to registering children in order to determine physical condition parental care, etc., as it is being conducted in other cities. Registration cards will be furnished for the purpose.

STATE PRESIDENT URGES

CONSERVATION OF SUGAR

Mrs. Alex Caldwell, president of Tennessee Federation of Women's Clubs, urges that all women co-operate in every particular with the food administration in the conservation of sugar. Prof. H. A. Morgan suggests that the women cut out much as possible all entertainments that will consume sugar and ice. He says the abandonment of iced tea in our homes, the lessening of coffee, restrictions in soft drinks and ice cream, the canning without sugar as much as possible, use of less sugar in preserves (unproven) and the material effect in the reducing and conservation of sugar in our homes. Prof.

Morgan further expresses a hope and belief that the patriotic women throughout the state will readily accede to this request.

PATRIOTIC SERVICE AT
THIRD PRESBYTERIAN

Service Flag Presented With
Fitting Ceremonies—Ser-
mon by Dr. Steele.

Dear little flag in the window there,
Hung with a tear and a woman's prayer;
Child of Old Glory, born with a star,
Oh, what a wonderful flag you are!

Blue is your star in its field of white,
Dipped in the red that was born of
fight;
Born of the blood that our forebears
shed;

To raise your mother, the flag, o'er-
head.

And now you've come to this frenzied
day,
To speak from a window—to speak and
say:

"I am the voice of a soldier son,
Gone, to be gone till the victory's won."

"I am the flag of the service, sir,
The flag of my mother—I speak for her
who stands by my window and waits
and fears
But hides from the others her unwept
tears."

"I am the flag of the sweethearts true;
The often unthought-of—the sisters—
too,
I am the flag of a mother's son,
And won't come down till the victory's
won."

Dear little flag in the window there,
Hung with a tear and a woman's
prayer;
Child of Old Glory, born with a star,
Oh, what a wonderful flag you are!

—George H. Scott, Norwalk, O.

The presentation of the service flag was an impressive ceremony at the Third Presbyterian church Sabbath morning. There was appropriate music by the choir. The names of Edward Oehmig, Reed Card, Clarence King, Chester Shelton, C. Homer George, Lake Boyd and Frank E. Pickard were on the flag. A poem was read by Miss Helen Lewis, "The Service Flag."

Dr. Steele preached on "America's Duty and Destiny." At the close of the service five persons united with the church.

FIRST BAPTIST HONORS

MEMBERS IN SERVICE

Church Bulletin Dedicated to

Sixty-seven Soldier Mem-

bers Distributed.

Dedicated to sixty-seven men, who are members of the First Baptist church, the quarterly bulletin was distributed at the morning service Sunday. In addition to these there are a great many others who are related to members of the First Baptist church by ties of blood or friendship and who might properly be classed as members of the congregation.

This issue also contains some valuable information about the church's committee, National Council of Defense. It includes all the names of the members who have paid their pledges for the quarter has 512 individuals on it and is an increase of twenty-one over the last issue. It is hoped that there is more interest in the bulletin.

In announcing the plans of a series of services to be held this fall, Dr. Harold Major, the pastor, gave the following in the bulletin: "There is a preliminary announcement is made of the coming of Dr. Curtis Lee Laws, of New York City, editor of the Watchman-Examiner, to assist in a series of special evangelistic meetings beginning October 15th. The summer months of comparative quiet and rest ought to be used by our people in preparation for a great spiritual awakening in the fall. Let us all be much in prayer for the salvation of lost souls."

The following are the men to whom the bulletin is dedicated:

Caleb Allen
Grover Arwine
Fred Ballard
William Bartlett
Richard Battle
E. M. Barber
Walker Blair
Gilmer S. Brimm
R. G. Buchanan
W. M. Burnett
W. A. Deakins
John Dover
W. S. Dunn
C. E. Elchorn
W. H. Elliott
Robert E. Ellington
E. A. Ernest
R. W. Fitzgerald
J. Perry Fyfe
J. A. Gillespie
Clarence Green
John Hill
Ogden Hill
Harold Hobson
Harry Hobson
Wm. Hollingsworth
E. R. Horton
T. B. Hudson
Jesse P. Hunt
Walter Jenkins
C. E. Jones
J. E. Kennedy
John F. Kelley
Died in service while on the Mexican border.

SOCIETY PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Sanders have

returned from an extended trip to Texas and Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bradshaw and little son, of Atlanta, are visiting in the city.

George Revington is the guest of his uncle, W. C. Betts, who resides on a large wheat farm near Forest, Ind.

Dr. B. L. Blocker has returned from a visit to relatives in Arkansas.

Misses Lillian and Eva Rogers have returned after spending the week-end with their uncle and cousin, Sgt. Albert E. Rogers, who is with the 45th aero squadron, Camp Greene, Charlotte, N. C.

Mrs. L. Held, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, is reported doing nicely.

Evangeline Chapter O. E. S. No. 48 will meet Thursday at Mountain city hall.

The Red Cross auxiliary to the East-Star will meet Tuesday at Red Cross headquarters.

Miss Minnie M. Brabson, of Florida,

is the guest of Mrs. Mary Brabson Little at the foot of Missionary ridge.

Lieut. Carbaugh, of Camp Gordon, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Carbaugh. Mrs. Carbaugh is visiting her parents, Commissioner and Mrs. H. F. Huffaker.

Hugh Huffaker and Jesse Carmack will leave Tuesday morning for the United States naval academy at Annapolis. The summer will be spent in strenuous practice, and the young men will enter the regular classes in the fall.

Miss Virginia Moon, of Memphis, is the guest of Mrs. Theodore King, in Riverview.

Miss Lallie Beall Keese, who has been filling a government position in Washington, D. C., has gone to New York to fill a similar one, only the move being in the nature of a promotion.

Mrs. H. M. Hatcher and daughter, Miss Louise Hatcher, and Mrs. A. W. Gore will spend the month of July at Tate.

Mrs. M. T. Armstrong and Miss Zella Armstrong have returned from Tate Springs.

HARRY E. PECK MADE
A CHIEF MECHANIC

One of Chattanooga's Latest

Selectmen Gets Promotion

and a Transfer.

Harry E. Peck, one of the selectmen of city board No. 1, who left here a week ago with the increment for Camp Gordon, has been made chief mechanic of second corps, Company B, and transferred from Camp Gordon to Camp Stuart at Newport News, Va. In letters to relatives and friends in Chattanooga Mr. Peck says he is enjoying the life of a soldier and thinks he is going to like the life fine.

Mr. Peck was, in civil life, connected with a local automobile firm. He had previously to this time been connected with The Chattanooga News.

He is a brother of Howard Peck, of Chattanooga Railway and Light company, and of J. Frank Peck, both well-known residents of Chattanooga.

ICE SHORTAGE DUE

TO WAR CONDITIONS

Plant at Peak of Production,

Says Manager—North

Side Complains.

If a letter of protest regarding the shortage of ice in Chattanooga is sent to Washington as threatened by T. F. Mahoney, city sealer of weights and measures, no relief can come of it, declared E. B. Duncan, manager of the Atlantic Ice and Coal corporation, Monday. The shortage of ice is due to war conditions, he said, and is a result of the fact that the ice company is sending its drivers with limited amounts of ice with which to make their rounds.

Mr. Duncan admitted that there is a prevailing scarcity in the retail sale of the commodity, but refuted the idea that Chattanooga ice plants are slackening in production. He declared that there is more ice being manufactured in Chattanooga at the present time than has ever been before. The capacity of the Atlantic Ice and Coal corporation's plant is 400,000 pounds daily, and at present 250,000 pounds are being produced, he said.

"We have a very good reason for not selling as much ice in Chattanooga as is desired," he declared. "We are using large quantities of it to ice refrigerators and freezers, and yet they have not received their share of the ice. There are more cars of meat passing through than at any time previously. The immense quantities being shipped to the front cause a perpetual stream of meat cars to pass through here. This is the reason Chattanooga is not getting as much as it wants."

However, there does not seem to be a systematized plan of distribution in places—for instance, in North Chattanooga. At that place arrangements have been made for delivery to a substation of the company and the sale of it to small dealers operating from there. Residents here complain that it is a common occurrence for the ice wagon to skip an entire neighborhood for a day. The dealers declare that the Atlantic Ice and Coal corporation refuses to deliver to them regularly.

Mr. Mahoney stated Monday morning that he did not intend to write to Washington regarding the situation but intended to have Mr. Abel, county food administrator, do so. He declared that the ice company is using but a small number of its wagons, but was sympathetically denied by Manager Duncan.

ROOSEVELT'S SON HAS

THRILLING EXPERIENCE

First Air Fight of Young Ameri-

can—Boches Pump Stream

of Bullets After Him.

(By Bert Ford, I. N. S. Staff Correspondent.)
With the American Army at the Marne, July 7 (evening)—Capture of Hill 204 by the French on Saturday, after a brisk fight, has greatly strengthened the newly acquired American salient on their left.

(Hill No. 204 lies west of Chateau-Thierry, near the village of Vaux.)

Thierry, Quentin Roosevelt, youngest son of the former president, has engaged in his first air fight, although he had previously made two flights on the active battle front.

During the engagement Lieut. Roosevelt's machine gun jammed and he was pursued by two Germans, who kept pumping a stream of bullets at him, but he escaped by skillful jockeying.

TILLMAN'S SUCCESSOR

GOES TO WASHINGTON

Columbia, S. C., July 8.—Christie Benet, lawyer of Columbia, who was appointed by Gov. Manning to succeed the late B. R. Tillman as senator from South Carolina, left for Washington last night to assume his duties. The appointment was for six months, the remaining two months of the eight months of the unexpired term to be filled by an election to be held within ninety days. Mr. Benet will return from Washington in a few weeks to enter the primary for this short term.

WAR'S RAVAGES, GOOD JOBS AND DRAFT
HAS ANNIHILATED PESKY HOBO

Railroad Men Bear Witness That "Knight of the Road" Is No More.

Only Occupants of Side-Door Pullman Cars Are

Furloughed Soldiers.

The hobo is no more. He has been blown in by the draft, set to work by war-time food scarcity and high wages have combined to snatch his languid form from the coal gondola and the side door Pullman.

"The only hoboes we have nowadays," said one of the Southern employees in the train yards at Clifton, "are not professional deadbeats at all, but usually soldiers going home on furlough without the money or the inclination to buy tickets."

"These soldier boys drift through one or two a week. The other day I saw one going to Cumberland, Md. I focused him on my train. He showed me his furlough. He just had five days to go in."

"You'll never get up there and back in five days," I told him. He agreed with me, but he said he could stop by recruiting offices and get his leave extended so that he wouldn't be a deserter. So I thought I would take him along, because, you see, the government owns the roads now, and the soldiers belong to the government. It seems to me the boys have a right to ride if they want to. Then, putting all that aside, they are soldiers."

Just as he had finished his narrative the railroad recalled a poem which some wandering "Sammy" had inscribed on the side of a flatcar. He walked some hundred yards down the string of cars and pointed out the chalked rhymes. They reflected the usual sardonic death reflections that come to vagabonds whirling precariously above the clangor of iron wheels and under the silence of the stars. The fact that the bard was a soldier is shown in the context:

"And when I die
Give my wife
My back pay;
Upon my tombstone
I want this writ:
'Waiting for my back pay
Got my goat.'"

Two or three cars farther down, in the same hands, was the name Jackson Hirsch. No doubt that missing back pay had forced Private Hirsch into the ignominy of bumper travel. The inscription, too, causes some speculation about the cause of his coming. Her travel-stained wanderer when he appeared at her threshold without his back pay? Did her greeting make up in warmth what it lacked in cordiality?

A somewhat extended literature of vagabondia has amply described the American hobo. Walter Wyckoff, Andrew Lloyd, and classicist of tramp life, Josiah Flynt, have turned the outcast's soul inside out and have showed him to the world in all his languid and piffling ways—this acum of humanity.

In an effort to stop hobos, the railroad men in Cleveland used to telegraph to the Chattanooga police how many hobos each train had on it and how to catch them. In describing these days, J. W. McCool, the Terminal trainmaster, said when they received such a telegram the roadmen would get together some special agents, or railroad detectives, and meet the suspected train. Often there would be some little shooting, mostly by the hobos, in order to secure the tramps into surrendering. "Then we would take them down before the judge, who would make them leave town. That is about as bad a sentence as they received."

"Well, they are all gone now," concluded Mr. McCool. "I don't see a regular hobo for weeks together now. I suppose, after the war is over, when work gets scarce and wages low, when one-half of mankind stops burning up the world's produce and thus making flush times for the other half, they'll come back again."

Mr. McCool paused thoughtfully, as if the hideous paradox had just struck him that the colossal waste of war would actually engender flush times—that the human race can only gain a good living by destroying half of what it makes—that the only way to save is to waste.

He drew a deep breath, shook his head at what this talk of hoboes had led him to, and turned back down between the long rows of empties to the office.

LIST OF PLANTS GIVEN PREFERENCE

IN SHIPMENT OF COAL AND COKE

Local manufacturers have written

to the department at Washington for copies of the questionnaires which they are required to fill out in order to apply for consideration on the fuel preference list. As yet they have not received these questionnaires, though they are expecting them any day.

At a special meeting of the priorities board held in Washington last week, a need for action on the part of all agencies of the United States government in supplying and distributing coal and coke and in the supply of transportation by rail and water for the movement of these commodities, was emphasized.

Mr. Myer, state fuel administrator, is sending copies of this new preference list to all those connected with the fuel administration in Tennessee in order that the manufacturers may be notified at once of the action of the priorities board.

While the priorities commissioner has the right to add industries to this list, classified as "industries of exceptional importance," those now included will have preference over all others. Mr. Myer says that the list will be amended or revised from time to time to meet the changing conditions.

The list as given out by the board is as follows:
Aircraft—Plants engaged exclusively in manufacturing aircraft or supplies and equipment therefor.

Ammunition—Plants engaged in the manufacture of ammunition for the United States government and the allies.

Army and Navy—Canteen and camps.

Arms (small)—Plants engaged in manufacturing small arms for the United States government and the allies.

Chemicals—Plants engaged exclusively in manufacturing chemicals.

Coke plants—Plants engaged exclusively in manufacturing coke for domestic consumers.

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